

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT HOURS (PDH) CERTIFICATION

COURSE TITLE:

Collaborative Presentations of the Permitting Process from the Departments of Transportation in Georgia and North Carolina

PRESENTERS:

Donn Digamon, P.E., Gail D'Avino, Ph.D., Sam Woods, P.E., and Chris Goodson - GDOT
Brian Bledsoe, Ph.D., P.E. - University of Georgia
Carla Dagnino, Colin Mellor, L.G. – NCDOT

Moderators: Susan Beck, P.E. - Georgia DOT and Stephen Morgan, P.E. - North Carolina DOT

LOCATION: Virtual meeting: Microsoft Teams Live event. Also recorded.

LENGTH OF COURSE: 2.0 hours

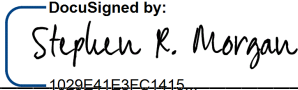
PDHs EARNED: 2.0

DATE: June 18th, 2020

TIME: 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

DESCRIPTION:

Presenters from the Georgia Department of Transportation's Office of Bridge Design and Permitting groups along with presenters from North Carolina Department of Transportation's Policy and Permitting groups explained the permitting process in each respective state. Attendees learned the differences in each DOT's approach to permitting as it relates to the NEPA process and USACOE section 404 requirements. GDOT presented their A3M process and Section 20 plans and NCDOT presented their Merger Process and Permit drawings. Dr. Brian Bledsoe of UGA presented the research project *Hydraulic Effects of Temporary Bridge Crossings*. The group discussed areas of concern in each of their respective processes and discussed methods of further enhancements to the permitting processes.

APPROVED BY:  DATE: 6/22/2020
Stephen R. Morgan, P.E.
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PDHs attained (by attendees honor): _____; recorded to nearest half hour; 2 PDHs maximum; record actual time attending the presentation or recorded event.